

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 31 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- Referring to Fig. 1, the magnetic disk has a multilayered structure including a substrate 111, an underlayer 113 formed on the substrate 111, and a magnetic layer 115 formed on the underlayer 113. A protection layer 117 of amorphous carbon is provided on the magnetic layer 115.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 16, line 35 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--The liquid lubricant 41 is preferably a compound that is a perfluoro-polyether with an end-group including hydroxyl group. The lubricant 441 may be a compound such as FOMBLIN Zdo14000 available from Ausimont corp. The liquid lubricant 41 is prepared by diluting the FOMBLIN Zdo14000 to roughly 0.05 wt % in fluorocarbon solvent such as FLORINATE FC-77 of Sumitomo 3M corp.--